

Appl. No. 10/687,897
Docket No. CM2512C
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REMARKS

Claim Status

Claims 2, 5, 7, 8, 11, 12, 14, and 17-19 are pending in the present application.

Claims 1, 3, 4, 6, 9, 10, 13, 15, and 16 have been withdrawn as a result of an earlier restriction requirement.

It is believed these changes do not involve any introduction of new matter. Consequently, entry of these changes is believed to be in order and is respectfully requested.

Response to Restriction Requirement

The Examiner has required, under 35 U.S.C. § 121, election of a specific ketal moiety from the list in claim 2. As stipulated by the Restriction Requirement, Claim 2 is drawn to a specific exact ketal moiety. This election is made without traverse.

Support for the ketal moiety elected can be found, for example, on page 15, line 23.

Claims 2, 5, 7, 8, 11, 12, 14, and 17-19 are readable on the species elected in Claim 2.

Conclusion

This response represents an earnest effort to place the present application in proper form. In view of the foregoing, entry of the amendment presented herein, reconsideration of this application, and allowance of the pending claims are respectfully requested.

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